

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:                      Cappeletti et al.                      Confirmation No. 5906  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

This Amendment and Response to Office Action is submitted in response to the October 9, 2007 Office Action. A response to the October 9, 2007 Office Action is due on January 9, 2008. Accordingly, this Amendment and Response to Office Action is being timely filed.

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